

Marked-up versions of the amended paragraphs--additions are shown with double-underlines and deletions are shown with strike-throughs.

5     Page 28, lines 21-31:

10     |         If the PXE Proxy service is ~~not~~ executing, then a  
determination is made about whether or not the availability of  
the local server (absolute availability and/or relative  
availability) is below a lower threshold (step ~~406~~). If not,  
15     |         then the process branches to step ~~414~~. If the availability is  
below the lower threshold, then the Boot Monitor daemon  
requests the service manager to stop or suspend the PXE Proxy  
service (step ~~408~~). The manner in which the PXE Proxy service  
is suspended may vary depending upon several factors, such as  
15     |         the operating system of the local server.

II. Conclusion

For any outstanding matters or issues, the examiner is urged to call or fax the below-listed telephone numbers to expedite the prosecution and examination of this application.

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